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Revenue Secretary's letter No. R. 6207-4-L.R. 31-23-36, dated 30th May, 1924, to the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, informing him that the sales of the Amrut Mahal kaval lands may be deferred till the second week of July 1924.

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The total extent of lands available for disposal on 1st July 1923, was 71,503 acres and 33 guntas and an extent of 6,296 acres 13 guntas was surrendered from the Amrut Mahal Department to the Revenue Department during the year. The area that was actually phoded during the year was 11,497 acres 23 guntas out of which an extent of 5,167 acres 3 guntas was sold realising thereby a sum of Rs. 82,144-0-6. It is reported that the area of Amrut Mahal kavals surrendered to the Revenue Department which is fit for cultivation and disposal, is about 57,070 acres.

2. In the Revenue Secretary's letter No. R. 6207—L. R. 31-23-36, dated 30th May last the Revenue Commissioner was informed that in view of the adverse seasonal conditions then prevalent the sales of surrendered Amrut Mahal kaval lands might be deferred till the second week of July 1924, by which time it was anticipated that seasonal conditions, with the outbreak of the South-West Monsoon, would have improved. The South-West Monsoon has not fallen short of expectations and there has been sufficient and well distributed rain-fall almost throughout the State. Government therefore direct that the disposal of the available lands should be taken up now. As, however, the extent of land undisposed of is still very large, Government desire that the Deputy Commissioners should select such portions of the Amrut Mahal kavals for which there is demand and which are likely to fetch good prices, get them phoded if they have not been phoded already, and dispose of them as early as possible. The remaining extent may be given out for grazing purposes in convenient blocks in open sale for one season only.

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Secretary to Government.  
Revenue Department.

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Correspondence ending with letter No. R. O. C. 1058—23-24, dated 16—17th August 1924, from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, and that ending with letter No. R. O. C. 406A. of 23-24, dated the 20th idem from the Director of Agriculture, in the matter of acquiring Survey No. 19 of Yellachihalli village, Mysore Taluk, for extending the sheep Farm.

ORDER No. I. C. 2083-7-A. & E. 19-26-6, DATED 19TH SEPTEMBER 1924

The acquisition of Survey No. 19 referred to above is sanctioned, the Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Mysore Sub-Division being appointed to perform the functions of a Deputy Commissioner under the Land Acquisition Regulation and to take order for the acquisition of the said Survey No. 19.

2. The declaration statements in English and Kannada will be forwarded to the Compiler, *Mysore Gazette*, for publication.

3. The cost of acquisition, estimated at Rs. 230 will be debited to the provision under "Sheep Breeding Farm," under 27-Agriculture, 1-Agricultural Department, iv-Demonstration and Experiments, 2-Live Stock Section, in the current year's Budget.

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## Floods.

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Government Order No. R.1274-8—R. M. 3-24-61, dated 15th August 1924, sanctioning the grant of permission to remove Jambé and other timber from the District and State Forests in the Kadur District in connection with the relief of sufferers from floods.

2. Letter No. D. O. 3—24-25, dated 13th September 1924, from the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, recommending that the above concession may be extended to the Shimoga District also.

ORDER NO. R. 2274-6—R. M. 3-24-93, DATED 20TH SEPTEMBER 1924.

Sanctioned.

K. V. ANANTARAMAN,  
Secretary to Government,  
Revenue Department.